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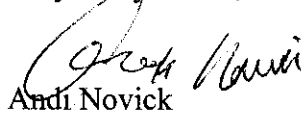
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To whom it may concern:

Enclosed please find and additional 30 letters to add to the more than 300 letters which had been submitted to your office last month –all opposing relaxation of the current regulations on media ownership. Commissioner Copps had sent the first set of letters to you at the beginning of December. I'd appreciate it if you'd include these letters with the others already submitted from the citizens of the Hudson Valley, New York.

Thank you

Very Truly Yours,


Andi Novick

Northeast Citizens for Responsible Media

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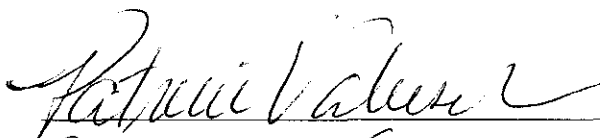
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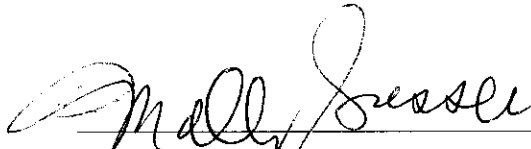
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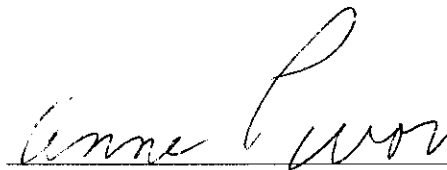
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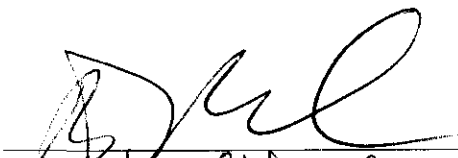
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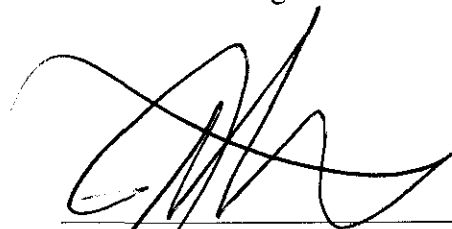
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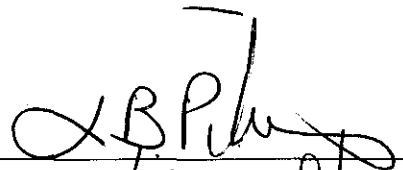
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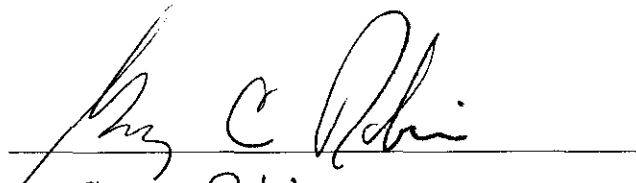
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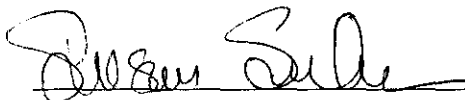
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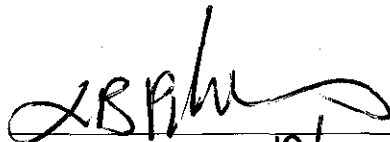
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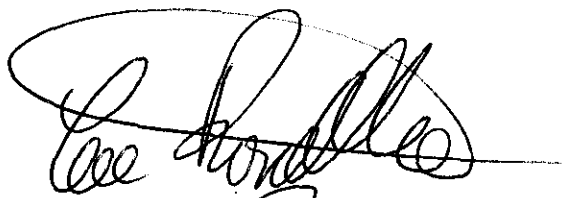
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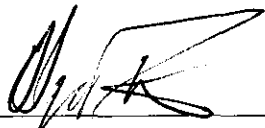
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